

the island of Crete against Turkish rule, the Christians of the island, on the 5th, elected a provisional government, and decided to proclaim the union of the island with Greece.

**Baby Strangled By a Collar Button.**  
Sherman, the 17-months-old son of  
dolph Giede of 2202 North Ninth  
reet, St. Louis, was strangled to  
eath by a collar button.

from the trunk of a tree found 20 feet below the surface of the ground, and below the glacial drift, at the corner of Thirty-ninth street and Cottage Grove avenue. This wood is believed to be 3,000 years old.

ing from east of the Alleghenies was bruited, however, and, as one of the silver people put it, the general opinion seemed to be that if there was an eastern man of national reputation who is favorable to silver he must

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